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AMENDMENT AND SUBMISSION  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.821-1.825

Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 USC 371 mailed July 27, 2001 (copy attached hereto), and in response to the Notification to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures (under 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825), please amend the above-referenced application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please cancel the 6 pages of sequence listing (pages 1/6-6/6) originally filed with this U.S. application.

Please add the attached pages 32-39 to the Specification. Please renumber original pages 32 - 34 of the Specification accordingly.